

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Atty's Docket No. 101195-66

APPLICANT

: Karsten Brand et al.

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FOR

: Agent for Gene Therapy and for the Prevention of Metastases, as Well as for the Gene Therapy of

Tumors

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Hon. Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the application as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please make claim 8 solely dependent on claim 5;

Please make claim 11 solely dependent on claim 1;

Please make claim 13 solely dependent on claim 11;

Please make claim 15 solely dependent on claim 1;

Please make claim 17 solely dependent on claim 15;

Please make claim 31 solely dependent on claim 25;

Please made claim 49 solely dependent on claim 1; and

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